



A LEGAL PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION  
PROVIDING LEGAL SERVICES STATEWIDE IN OHIO, FLORIDA, AND WASHINGTON, D.C.

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION COVER SHEET

1375 EAST NINTH STREET  
ONE CLEVELAND CENTER  
TENTH FLOOR  
CLEVELAND, OH 44114  
216.615.4832 DIRECT  
216.623.0150 MAIN  
216.623.0134 FAX  
jscott@ralaw.com

DATE: November 3, 2004

TO: Robert R. Raevis

NUMBER OF PAGES (including this cover sheet): 10

FROM: James C. Scott, Roetzel & Andress

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NOV 03 2004

We are transmitting from facsimile equipment, which will automatically connect transmissions to Roetzel & Andress twenty-four hours a day. If problems arise during transmission, please contact the operator at the office number listed above. Thank you.

NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, the information contained in this facsimile transmission is confidential information intended for the use of the individual or entity named above. The information contained in this transmission may also be attorney-client privileged and/or protected as attorney work product. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible to deliver it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error or are not sure whether it is confidential or otherwise privileged, please immediately notify us by telephone, and return the original message to us at the above address via the U.S. Postal Service at our expense. Thank you.

FACSIMILE INSTRUCTIONS

FAX NUMBER: 703.872.9306

CLIENT/MATTER NUMBER: 109788.0008

ID#: 747

COMMENTS

Dear Examiner Raevis,

Please see the attached Response to Office Action and a Petition for Extension of Time.

CLEVELAND TOLEDO AKRON COLUMBUS CINCINNATI WASHINGTON, D.C. TALLAHASSEE FORT MYERS NAPLES

www.ralaw.com

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/721,151  
Applicant(s) : Roger A. Pyle, et al.  
Filed : November 24, 2003  
T.C./A.U. : 2856  
Examiner : Robert R. Raemis  
Docket No. : 109788.0008

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any other paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being faxed to Robert R. Raemis at 703.872.9306 on the date below.

Name: Jennifer C. Safranek

Signature: 

Date: November 3, 2004

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
NOV 03 2004

Mail Stop NON FEE AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This correspondence is filed in response to the Office action dated July 8, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Request for Extension of Time is attached.